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PATENT DIVISION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Feith *et al.*

Assignee: Medegen MMS, Inc.

Application No. 10/816,183

Filed: March 31, 2004

For: MULTI-VALVE INJECTION/
ASPIRATION MANIFOLD WITH
NEEDLELESS ACCESS
CONNECTION

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Examiner: To Be Assigned

Group Art Unit: 3763

Attorney Docket No. MMS-104.2**CORRECTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 CFR §1.28(c)**Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**RECEIVED**

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Sir:

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Applicants submit this paper to correct an inadvertent error in small entity status. At the time of filing the above-captioned application, Applicants established its entitlement and status as a small entity in good faith and without fraudulent intent. It was later discovered that such status as a small entity was inadvertently established in error.

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.28(c), the following table itemizes the fees were erroneously paid as a small entity.

Date Paid	For	Fee Paid	Current Large Entity Fee	Deficiency
07/29/2004	Basic Filing Fee	\$385	\$790	\$405
07/29/2004	Late Oath Surcharge	\$65	\$130	\$65
			Total Deficiency Owed	\$470

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A check is enclosed with this submission in the amount of \$470 to cover the required deficiency payment. Please charge any additional fees concerning this matter or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 15-0508. It is understood that payment of this deficiency is treated under 37 CFR §1.27(g)(2) as a notification of a loss of entitlement to small entity status.

Respectfully submitted,

December 6, 2004

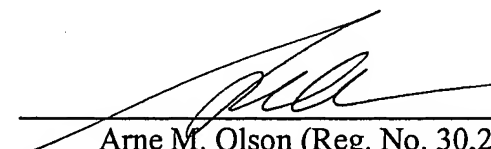
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